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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: THOMAS EUGENE WACHURA SERIAL NUMBER: 09/996,342 FILED: NOVEMBER 21, 2001 FOR: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR SAMPLING EYE DIAGRAM WITH WINDOW COMPARATORS	PATENT ART UNIT NO.: 2863 EXAMINER: TUNG S. LAU ATTY DOCKET NO.: WASC1821
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San Jose, California
May 20, 2004

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is Response A in the above-identified application.

 X Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR §1.9 and §1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

 A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR §1.9 and §1.27 is enclosed.

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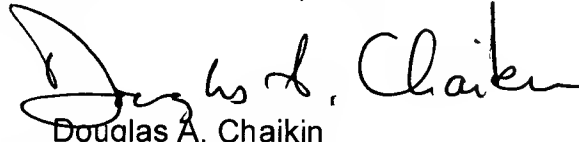
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Respectfully submitted,

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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Examiner's Final Office Action of March 31, 2004, please enter the enclosed Response C as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims to read as shown below:

1. (currently amended) Apparatus for measuring characteristics of a bit stream of binary pulses comprising
control means for defining a window comparator, and